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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COMMINGLED REMITTANCE PAYMENT PROCESSING	) ) )
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## **DECLARATION OF STANLEY M. JOSEPHSON**

Stanley M. Josephson declares as follows:

- 1. I am the sole inventor named in the above-identified application.
- 2. My birth date is March 21, 1934.
- 3. I declare that this statement is true and was made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Stanley M. Josephson

Date: 9/10/2003

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# **PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL**

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions to make special the above-identified application, based on the fact that the sole inventor, Stanley M. Josephson, is greater than 65 years of age. Pursuant to M.P.E.P. § 708.02 and 37 CFR § 1.102(c), an application may be made special upon a showing that an applicant is 65 or more years of age.

Enclosed with this petition is a Declaration of Stanley Josephson and a copy of his birth certificate. Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.102(c), no fee is required for this petition.

The granting of this petition and examination on the merits is hereby respectfully requested.

Respectfully Submitted,

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